



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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BY FACSIMILE and
CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

James Bopp, Jr., Esq.
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Terre Haute, IND 47807-3510

RE: Deposition of Edwin A. Buckham
MUR 4953

Dear Mr. Bopp:

The Federal Election Commission has the statutory duty of enforcing the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, and Chapters 95 and 96 of Title 26, United States Code. The Commission has issued the attached subpoena which requires your client, Edwin A. Buckham, to appear and give sworn testimony on Thursday, October 9, 2003 at the Offices of the Federal Election Commission in Washington, D.C. Please contact this Office within five days of receiving this letter to confirm the deposition date.

Because this information is being sought as part of an investigation being conducted by the Commission, the confidentiality provision of 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12)(A) applies. That section prohibits making public any investigation conducted by the Commission without the express written consent of the person with respect to whom the investigation is made. You are advised that no such consent has been given in this case.

Pursuant to 11 C.F.R. § 111.14, a witness summoned by the Commission shall be paid \$40.00 plus mileage. Subsequent to the deposition, your client will be sent a check for the witness fee and mileage. If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marianne Abely".

Marianne Abely
Attorney

Enclosure

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of

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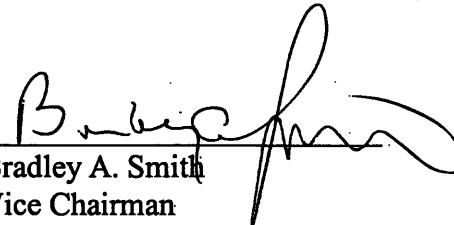
SUBPOENA

TO: Edwin A. Buckham
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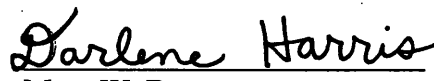
Pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437d(a)(3), and in furtherance of its investigation in the above-captioned matter, the Federal Election Commission hereby subpoenas you to appear for deposition. Notice is hereby given that the deposition is to be taken on Thursday, October 9, 2003, at the Offices of the Federal Election Commission, 999 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20463 beginning at 10:00 a.m. and continuing each day thereafter as necessary, or at such other time and place as can be mutually agreed upon between Commission staff and counsel for the deponent.

WHEREFORE, the Chair of the Federal Election Commission has hereunto set her hand
in Washington, D.C., on this 4th day of September 2003.

For the Commission,


Bradley A. Smith
Vice Chairman

ATTEST:


for Mary W. Dove
Secretary of the Commission